GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – PR & RD Dept. – Allegations of irregularities in execution of Road from SD Road @ 19/0 Km to Yeguvaganjaibadra in Salur Mandal, Vizianagaram District – Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri G.Sankar Rao, the then AEE, PR, PIUSD, Salur - Enquiry Conducted – Charge are partly proved – Enquiry Report communicated – Explanation submitted - Imposing a punishment of "One (1) Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect - Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 676 **Dated: 29-10-2019**
Read the following:-

1. From the DG, V&E, VR No.33(C.No.796/V&E/E2/2013), Dt.27.11.2014.
2. G.O.Rt.Nos.624, PR&RD (Vig.I) Department, Dt.27.06.2015.
3. From ENC, PR, A.P., Lr.No.Vig.I(1)/1067/2014, Dt.14.09.2015, 28.09.2015 & 28.01.2016.
4. G.O.Rt.No.951, PR&RD(Vig.I) Department, Dt.05.10.2015.
5. G.O.Rt.No.614, PR&RD(Vig.I) Department, Dt.20.06.2016.
6. From P.K.Sarangi, IFS, COI, Member, GA (COI) Department, D.O.Lr.No.34/COI-PKS/2018, Dt.10.10.2018.
7. Govt.Memo.No.14765/Vig.I/2014, PR&RD (Vig.I) Deptt., Dt.29.01.2019.
8. From ENC, PR, AP, Vijayawada, Lr.No.Vig.I(1)/1067/2014, Dt.15.04.2019, 02.05.2019, 25.04.2019, 05.06.2019.

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ORDER:-

In the reference 2nd read above, charges were framed against Sri G.Sankar Rao, the then AEE, PR, PIUSD, Salur, inter-alia among (9) others, in respect of allegations of irregularities in execution of Road from SD Road @ 19/0 Km to Yeguvaganjaibadra in Salur Mandal, Vizianagaram District.

2. The Engineer in Chief, Panchayat Raj, Andhra Pradesh, submitted the Written Statement of Defence of Sri G.Sankar Rao, the then AEE, PR, PIUSD, Salur, vide reference 3rd read above.

3. Government having not satisfied with the Written Statement Defences submitted by Charged Officers, appointed Dr.Prem Chand, IAS (Retired), Commissioner of Inquiries, as Inquiry Authority to conduct common enquiry into the charges framed Sri G.Sankar Rao, the then AEE, PR, PIUSD, Salur, inter-alia among (9) others, under Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, vide reference 4th read above. Further, the case was re-assigned to Sri P.K.Sarangi, IFS, vide reference 5th read above.

4. In the reference 6th read above, Sri P.K.Sarangi, IFS, COI, G.A. Department, submitted his enquiry report. In the inquiry report, Inquiring Authority submitted that the charges framed against Sri G.Sankar Rao, the then AEE, PR, PIUSD, Salur, are partly proved.

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5. Government communicated a copy of inquiry report to the charged officer Sri G.Sankar Rao, the then AEE, PR, PIUSD, Salur, for submitting his representation on the inquiry report, vide reference 7th read above. In the reference 8th read above, Engineer in Chief, Panchayat Raj, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada forwarded the explanations submitted by C.O., Sri G.Sankar Rao, the then AEE, PR, PIUSD, Salur.

6. After careful examination of the matter, Government have decided to impose the punishment of "One (1) Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect on Sri G.Sankar Rao, the then AEE, PR, PIUSD, Salur, since the charges framed against him is partly proved.

7. Accordingly, Government hereby impose the punishment of "One (1) Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect on Sri G.Sankar Rao, the then AEE, PR, PIUSD, Salur, under Rule 9(iv) of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991, in the matter.

8. Engineer in Chief, Panchayat Raj, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada, shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

GOPAL KRISHNA DWIVEDI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The individual **through** Engineer in Chief, Panchayat Raj, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
Copy to:-
The Engineer in Chief, Panchayat Raj, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada (with a request to serve the order on the D.O. and furnish the acknowledgement copy to the Govt.).
The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Velagapudi.
SF/SC.

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SECTION OFFICER